

CHAPTER 1026

STATUTORY ELEMENTS OF ASSAULT

H.F. 2324

AN ACT relating to the statutory elements of certain forms of assault.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 708.2, subsection 2, Code 1997, is amended to read as follows:

2. A person who commits an assault, as defined in section 708.1, ~~without the intent to inflict a serious injury upon another~~, and who causes bodily injury or ~~disabling~~ mental illness, is guilty of a serious misdemeanor.

Sec. 2. Section 708.3A, subsection 3, Code 1997, is amended to read as follows:

3. A person who commits an assault, as defined in section 708.1, against a peace officer, health care provider, or fire fighter, whether paid or volunteer, who knows that the person against whom the assault is committed is a peace officer, health care provider, or fire fighter, and who causes bodily injury or ~~disabling~~ mental illness, is guilty of an aggravated misdemeanor.

Approved March 31, 1998

CHAPTER 1027VOLUNTEER HEALTH CARE PROVIDER PROGRAM — INCLUSION OF
DENTAL AND CERTAIN MEDICAL SERVICES

H.F. 2340

AN ACT relating to the inclusion of dentists and certain other medical specialists in the volunteer health care provider program.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 135.24, subsection 1, Code 1997, is amended to read as follows:

1. The director shall establish within the department a program to provide to eligible hospitals, clinics, or other health care facilities, health care referral programs, or charitable organizations, free medical and dental services given on a voluntary basis by health care providers. A participating health care provider shall register with the department and obtain from the department a list of eligible, participating hospitals, clinics, or other health care facilities, health care referral programs, or charitable organizations.

Sec. 2. Section 135.24, subsection 2, paragraphs a and b, Code 1997, are amended to read as follows:

a. Procedures for registration of health care providers deemed qualified by the board of medical examiners, the board of physician assistant examiners, the board of dental examiners, and the board of nursing.

b. Criteria for and identification of hospitals, clinics, or other health care facilities, health care referral programs, or charitable organizations, eligible to participate in the provision of free medical or dental services through the volunteer health care provider program. A health